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Time will not permit me to enter minutely into all the tranſactions which have characterized this Stateſman and Hero.—The traits of Courage and Talents which were admired by his Country at an early period of his life, ſecured their eſteem and confidence; and long before the revolution, which alone could open a Field vaſt enough for the diſplay of ſuch uncommon Powers, his Country already hailed him as her favourite Son. The weſtern wild was witneſs to his youthful Feats in Arms, and the war-worn Veteran reſigned to Waſhington the *Palm.*

At the commencement of our revolution, when clouds darkened around us, and the ſtorm of war threatened Ruin and Deſolation, all eyes were turned to this illuſtrious Chief, who then graced the Councils of America. He alone was thought capable of ſuſtaining the weight of a convulſed Empire, and directing the Energies of a Free People. Called upon by the unanimous ſuffrages of his Fellow-Citizens, he accepted the appointment of Commander in Chief of the American Army.—Unawed by the formidable appearance of an Enemy, whoſe Fleets and Armies had deluged Half the World in Blood, He bade defiance to the Foe—and at the head of a ſmall but choſen band of Freemen, proclaimed Liberty to his Fellow-Citizens—eſtabliſhed the Independence of his Country—placed her in that commanding attitude which gained the admiration of the world, and will render her an object of wonder and delight to ſucceeding ages.

The powers of his mind, by which he collected, arranged, and concentrated the means of defence which atchieved that great event, although deſerving the higheſt praiſe, are not more the theme of eulogy, than the majeſty and dignity of his deportment, joined to a ſuavity of manners, which united all Parties, and gained all Hearts.

When the Public mind ſeemed almoſt to deſpond, and viewed the dangers which threatened the Country as ready to overwhelm her hopes, and trample her Infant efforts in the duſt, *WASHINGTON* remained unmoved, placing his confidence in God and the Juſtice of his Cauſe; and at that critical period which tried men's ſouls, by his voice and example encouraged her Councils, and animated her Armies.—Like lightening he ruſhed upon the Foe, and vollied the Thunder of the War into the hearts of his Enemies—*Trenton* and *Princeton*, ever memorable in the annals of America, and the *blood-ſtained Fields of Monmouth* taught the Enemy what they had to fear, and America what ſhe had to hope. Dejection at once gave place to the moſt animating enthuſiaſm, and America found herſelf protected by the invincible Shield of her Victorious Leader, until at York-Town, the capture of a numerous and highly-diſciplined army inured to war and conqueſt reſtored peace to his bleeding Country, and cloſed the revolutionary labours of her illuſtrious Chief.

Other events in the American revolution which equally claim our wonder and delight, and which admit of no embelliſhment, muſt be left to the faithful pen of the Hiſtorians—But the manner in which he retired, after reconciling the jarring and contending paſſions which at that time agitated the army; and the occaſion on which he reſigned his appointment into thoſe hands from whom he derived his authority claim our higheſt Eulogium. Private Intereſt and ſelfiſh Ambition found no place in his Character, and though commanding an Army at whoſe head he had ſo often fought and conquered; and in whoſe dangers and fatigues he had ſo often participated; and to whom he was endeared no leſs by the greatneſs and magnanimity of his mind, than by his virtues as a man: He diſdained to make them the Inſtruments of ambition, and exerciſed command no longer than he could be uſeful to his Country.

Having with ſo much honor, and in ſo diſtinguiſhed a manner performed the Taſk aſſigned him, and having witneſſed the admiration and undivided applauſe of a grateful Country, he retired to the welcome Shades of Mount Vernon; in hopes to paſs the remainder of his days in that dignified and peaceful Retreat.—But this Happineſs was denied him.—Heaven, as though deſirous to diſplay the greatneſs of his Character in a new and more diſtinguiſhed light, called him to the head of our Councils, that he might be the principal Inſtrument of perpetuating to poſterity the bleſſings, for the attainment of which he had hazarded his *Repoſe* and *Life.*

The conſolidation of our Union in the Convention over which he preſided, will ever be conſidered as a maſter-piece of policy; and could alone enſure to his Country permanent Proſperity and Glory.——For this let our warmeſt acknowledgments flow, when we reflect on the bleſſings it has diffuſed through every part of the Commonwealth; and that thoſe bleſſings may be commenſurate with time, and co-extenſive with the habitable Earth.

In the firſt Congreſs which was formed under the new Confederation, *WASHINGTON*, by the Suffrages of his Fellow-Citizens, was called to preſide. He obeyed the voice of his Country, and having proved himſelf not leſs wiſe in Council, than great in arms; and having merited the higheſt epithet—*the Father of his Country*—and given operation to the Government, and ſeen its proſperity advanced far beyond his moſt ſanguine expectations, he again retired, leaving the adminiſtration of it to thoſe who had gained his merited confidence; declaring at the ſame time, that no perſonal conſideration could ever make him forget the Duty which he owed to his Country, *as a Citizen and a Soldier.*

He was not long ſuffered to repoſe.——The dangers which threatened from abroad, again called us to arm in our defence; and on whom could America turn her eyes, but her illuſtrious Chief.——He again liſtened to the voice of his Country; and though far advanced in years, and covered with glory, declared himſelf ready to unſheath his ſword in her defence, and accepted the appointment to command her Armies.——The hiſtoric page can produce no example of ſuch Virtue and Talents; ſuch diſintereſted Patriotiſm; ſuch undeviating *Rectitude*;—ſuch Magnanimity and Love of their Country.—To the laſt moment of his exiſtence his labours, and his Life, were devoted to the Commonwealth; even in Death his great and excellent Character acquired new and unfading Luſtre;—and one and all of us are called upon, on this mournful ſolemnity, to deplore not only the Death of a *Protector*—but a *Friend* and *Benefactor.*——We muſt all feel and participate in this irreparable loſs.—The Stateſman, the Citizen, and the Soldier, will here mingle their Tears—and although the grief of ſome who were allied to him by a cloſer Tie, and who were witneſſes of his Exploits in Arms, may be more acute—the public diſtreſs will be no leſs laſting.——And, whilſt the ſculptured monument points to his remains, and the ſtoried urn recalls his deathleſs Fame, each Individual will point to his heart, and exclaim—*here his Memory is entombed.*——

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Done at Cape-Francois, the 30 Frimaire, 8th year of the French republic, one and indiviſible.

Signed in the regiſter of deliberations by the particular agent of the executive directory, ROUME, and by the ſecretary general of the agency.

A true copy. L. BLANCHARD.

The Arrete, above although it has the appearance of favouring American commerce: yet its effect will prove quite the contrary, and Dr. Stevens, by his demand on the Agency to leſſen the former duties may be juſtly ſaid to have "*gained a loſs!*", The old duty of 12½ per cent. was before the paſſing of this Arrete, paid in paper, which could be purchaſed at 3 to 5 per cent. diſcount. The agency now decree that the duties ſhall be paid in money, i. e. hard caſh, which excludes the Americans from a ſpeculation on their aſſignats, and conſequently renders the duties higher than before.

PHILADELPHIA, Dec. 28.

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BY THE PRESIDENT,

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A Proclamation.

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Now therefore, I JOHN ADAMS, Preſident of the United States, do hereby proclaim the ſame accordingly.

Given under my hand and the ſeal of the United States, at Philadelphia, the twenty-fourth day of December, in (*L. S.*) the year of our Lord, one thouſand ſeven hundred and ninety-nine, and of Independence of the United States the twenty-fourth.

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We are happy in being able to inform the public, that Mr. Humphreys, at preſent miniſter to the court of Madrid, is in poſſeſſion of moſt of the requiſite documents for compiling the life of General WASHINGTON, and who is to be furniſhed by the proper authorities with further materials, will undertake this intereſting work. From the talents accuracy, and patriotiſm of this gentleman, the public may expect to receive a hiſtory prepared with the acuteneſs of a critic, the integrity of truth, and the elegance of a ſcholar.

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Extract of a letter from St. Sebastians, dated October 26th, 1799.

"It appears, that France is at open war with the people of Hamburgh, and that their envoy at Paris has received orders to quit the territory of the republic."

Extract of a letter from a gentleman in Montreal, to his friend in this city, dated

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SIR,

"Soon after you left this, the 41ſt regiment came here, and brought with them a fever, which has alarmed us a good deal; no leſs than 230 of them being ſick, and numbers dying daily. We have had pretty ſevere weather, and yet it does not ſeem to check its progreſs. Some of the inhabitants of the town have fallen a ſacrifice to the diſeaſe, particularly Dr. Graham of Quebec, and Dr. Gould of this place. I am afraid we ſhall not be much better than New-York next ſummer."

January 3.

A French Gentleman, who came paſſenger in the Sloop Louiſa from St. Sebaſtians, and who left Paris about the 25th of October, informs, that Buonaparte had arrived there previous to this gentleman's departure, and that his arrival had occaſioned great public rejoicings; that he brought with him a treaty of peace concluded by him for twenty years with the Grand Seignior, who had ceded to France 200 leagues of the territory which had been conquered by Buonaparte; and that a ſecret expedition was preparing, of which he was to have the command. [*Mer. Adv.*]

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On Sunday, the 29th December, 1799, in the African Methodiſt Epiſcopal Church of Philadelphia, the Rev. Richard Allen, of the African race, and miniſter of ſaid Church, in his diſcourſe to the people of colour, took notice of the death of General Waſhington, that melancholy event, which clothes the American people with mourning: and he has been prevailed upon to admit the following ſketch of his diſcourſe to be publiſhed. It will ſhew that the African race participate in the common events of our country—that they can rejoice in our proſperity, mourn in our adverſity, and feel with other citizens, the propriety and neceſſity of wiſe and good rulers, of an effective government, and of ſubmiſſion to the laws and government of the land.

"At this time it may not be improper to ſpeak a little on the late mournful event—an event in which we participate in common with the feelings of a grateful people—an event which cauſes the "land to mourn" as a ſeaſon of feſtivity. Our father and friend is taken from us—he whom the nations honoured is "ſeen of men no more."

"We, my friends, have peculiar cauſe to bemoan our loſs. To us he has been a ſympathiſing friend, and tender father. He has watched over us, and viewed our degraded and afflicted ſtate with compaſſion and pity—his heart was not inſenſible to our ſufferings. He whoſe wiſdom the nations revered thought we had a right to liberty. Unbiaſſed by the popular opinions of the ſtate in which is the memorable Mount Vernon—he dared to do his duty, and wipe off the only ſtain with which man could ever reproach him.

"And it is now ſaid by an authority on which I rely, that he who ventured his life in battles, whoſe head was covered in that day, and whoſe ſhield the "Lord of hoſts" was, did not fight for that liberty which he deſired to withhold from others—the bread of oppreſſion was not ſweet to his taſte, and he "let the oppreſſed go free"—he "undid every burden"—he provided lands and comfortable accommodations for them when he kept this "acceptable faſt to the Lord."—that thoſe who had been ſlaves might rejoice in the day of their deliverance.

"If he who broke the yoke of Britiſh burdens "from off the neck of the people" of this land, and was hailed his country's deliverer, by what name ſhall we call him who ſecretly and almoſt unknown emancipated his "bondmen and bondwomen"—became to them a father, and gave them an inheritance!

"Deeds like theſe are not common. He did not let his right hand know what his left had did"—but he who "ſees in ſecret will openly reward" ſuch acts of beneficence.

"The name of Waſhington will live when the ſculptured marble and ſtatue of bronze ſhall be crumbled into duſt—for it is the decree of the eternal God that "the righteous ſhall be had in everlaſting remembrance, but the memorial of the wicked ſhall rot."

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"And here let me intreat you always to bear in mind the affectionate farewell advice of the Great Waſhington—"to love your country—to obey its laws—to ſeek its peace—and to keep yourſelves from attachment to any foreign nation."

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The agency of the executive conſidering that by the firſt article of the 14th Thermidor, 7th year, to facilitate the commerce of St. Domingo, different objects of importation were ſummarily mentioned as free, and that by the 12th article all other merchandize were obliged to pay 12½ per centum.

That the American conſul-general having demanded of the agency, a diminution of the duties, as being too burthenſome, and the agency having examined the affair, it has decreed as follows:

Art. 1. The duties on importations by neutrals, are reduced to 10 per cent. payable in money on the departure of the veſſel.

2. In other reſpects, that nothing be altered from the former decree.

The preſent decree ſhall be addreſſed to the executive to meet its approbation, and ſhall be executed in the colony in each department from the date of its publication,

It ſhall be printed, read and publiſhed, addreſſed to the civil and military authorities, and tranſcribed on the regiſters of the adminiſtrative and judiciary bodies.

Done at Cape-Francois, the 30 Frimaire, 8th year of the French republic, one and indiviſible.

Signed in the regiſter of deliberations by the particular agent of the executive directory, ROUME, and by the ſecretary general of the agency.

A true copy. L. BLANCHARD.

The Arrete, above although it has the appearance of favouring American commerce: yet its effect will prove quite the contrary, and Dr. Stevens, by his demand on the Agency to leſſen the former duties may be juſtly ſaid to have "*gained a loss!*", The old duty of 12½ per cent. was before the paſſing of this Arrete, paid in paper, which could be purchaſed at 3 to 5 per cent. diſcount. The agency now decree that the duties ſhall be paid in money, i. e. hard caſh, which excludes the Americans from a ſpeculation on their aſſignats, and conſequently renders the duties higher than before.

PHILADELPHIA, Dec. 28.

The Houſe of Repreſentatives of Congreſs exhibits a pleaſing, though mournful evidence of the reſpect which is felt for the character of Gen. Waſhington, and of the unfeigned regret which has been excited by the melancholy event of his death. The Speaker's chair and table, and the tables on each ſide, are entirely ſhrouded in black.—The caſement in the rear of the Speaker's chair, and the receſs are alſo elegantly ornamented with mourning emblems. The prints preſented to the Houſe by Mr. Trumbull, are overhung with curtains of black.—Between theſe, and in the centre of the Houſe, Mr. Peale, proprietor of the Muſeum, has added a very ſtriking likeneſs of the illuſtrious Hero, which, beſides being highly ornamental to the houſe, acts as an intelligible and feeling index to the occaſion of the mourning emblems which ſurround it.

BY THE PRESIDENT,
OF THE
UNITED STATES OF AMERICA.
A Proclamation.

WHEREAS the Congreſs of the United States "in honour of the memory of General GEORGE WASHINGTON" have this day "Reſolved, That it be recommended to the people of the United States, to wear crape on the left arm, as mourning for thirty days;" and "That the Preſident of the United States be requeſted to iſſue a Proclamation, notifying to the people throughout the United States, the ſaid recommendation:"

Now therefore, I JOHN ADAMS, Preſident of the United States, do hereby proclaim the ſame accordingly.

Given under my hand and the ſeal of the United States, at Philadelphia, the twenty-fourth day of December, in (L. S.) the year of our Lord, one thouſand ſeven hundred and ninety-nine, and of Independence of the United States the twenty-fourth.

JOHN ADAMS.

By the Preſident,
TIMOTHY PICKERING,
Secretary of State.

We are happy in being able to inform the public, that Mr. Humphreys, at preſent miniſter to the court of Madrid, is in poſſeſſion of moſt of the requiſite documents for compiling the life of General WASHINGTON, and who is to be furniſhed by the proper authorities with further materials, will undertake this intereſting work. From the talents accuracy, and patriotiſm of this gentleman, the public may expect to receive a hiſtory prepared with the acuteneſs of a critic, the integrity of truth, and the elegance of a ſcholar.

NEW-YORK, Dec. 27.

Extract of a letter from St. Sebastians, dated October 26th, 1799.

"It appears, that France is at open war with the people of Hamburgh, and that their envoy at Paris has received orders to quit the territory of the republic."

Extract of a letter from a gentleman in Montreal, to his friend in this city, dated

"*Montreal, Dec. 14, 1799.*

SIR,

"Soon after you left this, the 41ſt regiment came here, and brought with them a fever, which has alarmed us a good deal; no leſs than 230 of them being ſick, and numbers dying daily. We have had pretty ſevere weather, and yet it does not ſeem to check its progreſs. Some of the inhabitants of the town have fallen a ſacrifice to the diſeaſe, particularly Dr. Graham of Quebec, and Dr. Gould of this place. I am afraid we ſhall not be much better than New-York next ſummer."

January 3.

A French Gentleman, who came paſſenger in the Sloop Louiſa from St. Sebaſtians, and who left Paris about the 25th of October, informs, that Buonaparte had arrived there previous to this gentleman's departure, and that his arrival had occaſioned great public rejoicings; that he brought with him a treaty of peace concluded by him for twenty years with the Grand Seignior, who had ceded to France 200 leagues of the territory which had been conquered by Buonaparte; and that a ſecret expedition was preparing, of which he was to have the command. [*Mer. Adv.*]

January 4.

On Sunday, the 29th December, 1799, in the African Methodiſt Epiſcopal Church of Philadelphia, the Rev. Richard Allen, of the African race, and miniſter of ſaid Church, in his diſcourſe to the people of colour, took notice of the death of General Waſhington, that melancholy event, which clothes the American people with mourning: and he has been prevailed upon to admit the following ſketch of his diſcourſe to be publiſhed. It will ſhew that the African race participate in the common events of our country—that they can rejoice in our proſperity, mourn in our adverſity, and feel with other citizens, the propriety and neceſſity of wiſe and good rulers, of an effective government, and of ſubmiſſion to the laws and government of the land.

"At this time it may not be improper to ſpeak a little on the late mournful event—an event in which we participate in common with the feelings of a grateful people—an event which cauſes the "land to mourn" in a ſeaſon of feſtivity. Our father and friend is taken from us—he whom the nations honoured is "ſeen of men no more."

"We, my friends, have peculiar cauſe to bemoan our loſs. To us he has been a ſympathiſing friend, and tender father. He has watched over us, and viewed our degraded and afflicted ſtate with compaſſion and pity—his heart was not inſenſible to our ſufferings. He whoſe wiſdom the nations revered thought we had a right to liberty. Unbiaſſed by the popular opinions of the ſtate in which is the memorable Mount Vernon—he dared to do his duty, and wipe off the only ſtain with which man could ever reproach him.

"And it is now ſaid by an authority on which I rely, that he who ventured his life in battles, whoſe head was covered in that day, and whoſe ſhield the "Lord of hoſts" was, did not fight for that liberty which he deſired to withhold from others—the bread of oppreſſion was not ſweet to his taſte, and he "let the oppreſſed go free"—he "undid every burden"—he provided lands and comfortable accommodations for them when he kept this "acceptable faſt to the Lord."—that thoſe who had been ſlaves might rejoice in the day of their deliverance.

"If he who broke the yoke of Britiſh burdens "from off the neck of the people" of this land, and was hailed his country's deliverer, by what name ſhall we call him who ſecretly and almoſt unknown emancipated his "bondmen and bondwomen"—became to them a father, and gave them an inheritance!

"Deeds like theſe are not common. He did not let his right hand know what his left had did"—but he who "ſees in ſecret will openly reward" ſuch acts of beneficence.

"The name of Waſhington will live when the ſculptured marble and ſtatue of bronze ſhall be crumbled into duſt—for it is the decree of the eternal God that "the righteous ſhall be had in everlaſting remembrance, but the memorial of the wicked ſhall rot."

"It is not often neceſſary, and it is ſeldom that occaſion requires recommending the obſervance of the laws of the land to you, but at this time it becomes a duty; for you cannot honour thoſe who have loved you and been your benefactors more than by taking their council and advice.

"And here let me intreat you always to bear in mind the affectionate farewell advice of the Great Waſhington—"to love your country—to obey its laws—to ſeek its peace—and to keep yourſelves from attachment to any foreign nation."

"Your obſervance of theſe ſhort and comprehenſive expreſſions will make you good citizens—and greatly promote the cauſe of the oppreſſed and ſhew to the world that you hold dear the name of George Waſhington.

"May a double portion of his ſpirit reſt on all the officers of government in the United States, and all that ſay my father, my father—the chariots of Iſrael, and the horſemen thereof, which is the whole of the American people."

From a late Charleſton paper.

Meſſrs. *Freneau & Paine,*

Pleaſe inform the citizens of Maſſachuſetts, New-Hampſhire, Connecticut, Rhode-Iſland, New-York, Pennſylvania, and the northern and eaſtern ſtates generally, that from the great crop made in South-Carolina this year, and its bulky nature, conſiderable quantities of ſhipping will be wanting in the months of February, March, April and May, and ſooner if they can be ſent, and that they may expect good freights and ready employment in Charleſton.

An Inhabitant of Charleſton.

BOSTON, Jan. 9.

We are told, that a recent arrival at New-York, in a ſhort paſſage from Liverpool, brings intelligence of the ſafe arrival of the Duke of York in London, on the 5th of November.

PROVIDENCE, Jan. 11.

Extract of a letter from Capt. Perry of the frigate General Greene, to a gentleman of this town, dated off Cape Francois, December 5, 1799.

"Since I laſt had the pleaſure of writing to you, I have taken a ſchooner under Daniſh colours, bound from Gonaives to St. Thomas, laden with coffee, cotton, &c. ſuppoſed to be French property.—Alſo, in company with the Boſton, have retaken an American ſchooner, in poſſeſſion of the French, and taken a brig bound from Jeremie to St. Thomas, very richly laden. She ſhewed Daniſh colours, but has every evidence of being French property.

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NEWPORT, *January* 14.

The Limits of our Paper do not admit of our giving Place to the Demonstrations of Respect, which are every where paid to the Memory of our departed Hero and Patriot.—Funeral and public Honors are paid, in every Place where the People can collect in any considerable Number; and these Honors are as uniform, in the Mode of Demonstration, as the Sentiment which produces them.

At the Annual Meeting of the Stockholders of *THE NEWPORT INSURANCE COMPANY*, holden on the 7th Inst. agreeably to Charter, the following Gentlemen were elected Directors, viz.

SAMUEL ELAM, FRANCIS BRINLEY, EBENEZER BURRILL, ARCHIBALD CRARY, ETHAN CLARKE, ROBERT N. AUCHMUTY, JOHN L. BOSS, THOMAS HANDY, THOMAS DENNIS, JACOB SMITH, HENRY SHERBURNE, JOSEPH ROGERS, WILLIAM HUNTER.

And that at a Meeting of the Directors on the 8th Inst. SAMUEL ELAM was unanimously chosen President, and JABEZ DENISON, Secretary.

His Excellency THOMAS JEFFERSON, Vice-President of the United States and President of the Senate, arrived in Philadelphia, on Sunday the 29th ult. and next Morning took his Seat in the Senate.

We hear that the Legislature of Maryland have voted a Loan of 50,000 Dollars to the Federal City.

There seems to have been a little Mistake in the late Accounts of the Gen. Greene Frigate; instead of being taken, she has been TAKING.—During her present Cruize, she has sent the Brig Industry into Newport; the Flying-Fish into Boston; a Prize to her and the Boston Frigate; a Schooner into Salem; the Schooner Weymouth, into some Southern Port; the Schooner Bachelor was released, owing to her having the Yellow-Fever on board.—All on board were well and happy.

MARRIED.]—At South-Kingstown. Mr. *Benjamin Peckham*, to Miss *Sally Ward*, Daughter of Mr. Richard Ward.

—At Middletown (on this Island) by the Rev. Mr. Eddy, Mr. *Timothy Weaver*, to Miss *Hannah Wigneron*, Daughter of the late Mr. Charles Wigneron, of this Town.

DIED.]—Lately, at the House of Governor Penn, in Queen Ann-street, London, Mrs. *Masters*, Widow of the late William Masters, Esq; formerly of Pennsylvania, and Mother of Mrs. Penn.

—At Philadelphia, on the 29th ult. Mr. *Samuel Emlen*, a respectable Minister of the Society of Friends.

—In this Town, Mrs. *Catherine Dudley*, Widow of Charles Dudley, Esq; formerly Collector of this Port, and Daughter of Robert Crooke, Esq;

—Mrs. *Mary Bryer*, Wife of Mr. Elias Bryer.

Meteorological TABLE. Fahren. Therm.

1800.

JANUARY	Thermo. A.M.	Thermo. P.M.	Wind. A.M.	Wind. P.M.	Weather. A.M.	Weather. P.M.
	Deg.	Deg.	8	2	8	2
7	10	20	NW.	Do.	Fair.	Cloudy.
8	22	32	NW.	Do.	Fair.	Do.
9	24	32	W.	SW.	Fair.	Do.
10	24	37	WSW.	W.	Fair.	Do.
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12	34	42	SW.	W.	Cloudy.	Fair.
13	36	36	NE.	NE.	Cloudy.	Snow.

CUSTOM-HOUSE,

District of NEWPORT, Jan. 13.

ENTERED,	*From*
Sloop Patty, Edwards,	Stonington
Ranger, Bliven,	New-York
Brig Ida, Hudson,	Providence
Ship American Eagle, Brooks,	Isle of Rhe
Sloop Sally, Congdon,	Boston
Betsy, Rhodes,	Alexandria
Brig Peace, Smith,	St. Christophers
Ship Almonac, Cassidey,	Bath
CLEARED,	*For*
Schooner Maccan, Hathaway,	Edenton
Sloop Concord, Justin,	New-York
Two Sisters, Earl,	Ditto
Schooner Franklin, Whippey,	Norfolk
Ship George & Mary, Lawton,	Charleston
Sloop Lucy, Anthony	Ditto
Dove, Swain,	Nantucket

Sales at Auction.

On FRIDAY, 17th Inst. will be Sold, at GARDNER & DEAN's OFFICE, At X o'Clock, the following GOODS, viz.

BROADCLOTHS—Coatings—Baizes—Blankets—Calicoes—Brittany Linens—Table-Cloths—Fine Cambricks—Apron and Shirting Checks—Boxes Tea—and One Box Men's Hats.

With a Variety of other Articles.

Conditions at Time of Sale.

Newport, 14th Jan. 1800.

To be Sold, by SHEFFIELD ATTWOOD, BROKER,

20 Hogsheads New-England Rum, from 95 to 100 Gallons.
20 Hogsheads Molasses, good for Retailing.
10 Boxes good Brown Sugar.
20 Hogsheads West-India Rum.
100 Barrels Mess Beef.
100 Barrels Mess Pork.
100 Barrels Prime Pork.

He has also to sell, sundry Dwelling-Houses, in different Parts of this Town.

He has also 4000 Weight good CABIN BREAD on Hand for Sale, cheap for Cash.

N. B. He gives the highest Price for old Gold and Silver.

Newport, 13th January, 1800.

All Persons having Demands against the Estate of Dr. *ISAAC SENTER*, late of Newport, deceased, are desired to exhibit the same for Settlement; and all those indebted to said Estate, are requested to make immediate Payment to

ELIZABETH SENTER, *Administratrix.*

Newport, Jan. 13, 1800.

THOSE Persons who have Accounts open with the Subscribers, are desired to bring them in immediately for Settlement, as they wish to close all Affairs of the Firm as soon as possible.

DANIEL W. BARKER & CO.

Newport, Jan. 13, 1800.

FOR SALE,

A very convenient Dwelling-House, in Newtown, having Four Rooms on a Floor, with Two Wash-Rooms, and a good Cellar under the Whole; also the Lot on which said House stands, being 50 by 100 Feet, free from Quit-Rent.—Apply to OLIVER REED.

Newport, Jan. 13, 1800.

TO BE SOLD,

A Dwelling-House, and Lot of Land whereon said House stands, a little out of this Town, near the Wind-Mills, formerly belonging to Benjamin Stanton, deceased.—For further Particulars inquire of JONATHAN GREENE.

Newport, 1st Mo. 13th. 1800.

STRAYED away from James Chace's, some Time past, Twelve Sheep, mostly Weathers, very large and likely.—They are branded on the Rump with the Letters I. A. with Tar. Whoever has either the Whole or Part of them, among their Sheep, and will give Notice to the Subscribers, shall be well rewarded, and Expences paid by

PERRY SHERMAN, or CLARK HARGILL.

Newport, Jan. 13, 1800.

NEWPORT INSURANCE COMPANY.

THE *Stockholders* of *The Newport Insurance Company*, are hereby notified, that the fourth Instalment of Twenty Dollars on each Share, in the *Funds* of said *Company*, falls due on the first Monday in February next; they will also remember, that the Notes are made payable at *The Bank of Rhode-Island*, and will be previously lodged there.

By Order of the Board of Directors,
J. DENISON, *Sec'ry.*

Newport Insurance-Office, Jan. 13, 1800.

OFFICIAL.

To the CONSUL of His Catholic Majesty for the State of RHODE-ISLAND, &c.

COMMERCIAL INFORMATION.

DON JOSEPH IGNATIUS DE VIAR, his Catholic Majesty's Consul-General, has received, from the Intendant at the Havanna, the following List of Articles, now prohibited at that Port:—

Vermillion.
Mens' Caps—Silk, Thread, & Cotton.
Stocking-web Patterns (worsted)
Coarse Shirts.
Sieves.
Brass Locks, and Nails.
Coverletts (wool and cotton)
Dimities (thread and cotton)
Oil Cloth (flowered and plain)
Paper Hangings.
Esterlings,
Tinsel Laces,
Sealing Wax,
Stockings (worsted and cotton)
Marseilles Quilting.
Handkerchiefs (linen)
Hats (castor excepted.)
Shoes, Calicoes, and printed linens,
Plain and ornamented dresses for both sexes, of what manufacture soever.

Further information from the Intendant of the Havannah.

All Shippers of goods or merchandizes from the United States, to the above port shall be qualified before a notary public respecting the property specified in the invoices, the same shall be attested by his Majesty's Consul General, or by some one of his Majesty's consuls or vice consuls, otherwise such goods will not be admitted to entry.

Whereas it has been found that numbers of Merchants and others, trading from the United States to the Havanna, regardless of the foregoing publication inserted some time since, in several papers of the Union, have prosecuted their voyages without soliciting the attestation mentioned therein, and on arrival there have alledged ignorance respecting the same. Now, therefore, his Catholic Majesty's Consul General, in compliance with his instructions received latterly on this head, doth hereby make known, to all whom it may concern, that from and after the publication hereof, any vessel or vessels trading to the above port or ports in the island of Cuba, shall be provided with the aforementioned attestation, otherwise they will not be admitted to entry.

Newport, 10th January, 1800.

TO BE SOLD,

And entered on the 25th of March ensuing,

A FARM, in Little-Compton, about One Hundred Acres of Land, lying in a handsome Body together, all fenced with Stone-Wall, and divided in divers Divisions with Stone; with a large Stream of Water running through the Whole of said Land, which never fails of a Plenty of Water.—Has on it two Orchards, a good House, Barn, Corn-House, &c.——The above Premises lies on a good Road, which is greatly used, and about One Mile and a Half from the Meeting-House in said Town: One Half of the Payment will be taken in West-India or this Country Produce.——Apply to

NATHANIEL SEARLE.

Little-Compton, Jan. 9, 1800.

WE the Subscribers being, by the Court of Probate of the Town of Newport, appointed Commissioners to receive and examine the Claims of the Creditors to the Estate of *GEORGE CORNELL*, sen. late of said Newport, Cabinet-Maker, deceased, represented insolvent, do hereby notify all Persons, having Demands on said Estate, (if they think fit) to bring them in to either of us at our respective Dwellings, within Six Months from this Date, it being the Time allowed for that Purpose.

JOB TOWNSEND,
WILLIAM BORDEN.

All Persons indebted to said Estate, are requested to make Payment to

GEORGE CORNELL,
RICHARD CORNELL, } *Adm'rs.*

Newport, Jan. 13, 1800.

*** *Those indebted to the Printer hereof, will render him a very essential Service, by making* ***Payment*** *at this Time.*

FOR SALE BY
J. RICHARDSON,
At the Post-Office,

A great Variety of BOOKS and STATIONARY.

A great Variety of ALMANACKS, for the Year 1800——Among which is One calculated for Newport.

The Old Newport Circulating Library has lately had an Addition of some Hundred Volumes, in Divinity, History, Voyages, Travels, Novels, &c.

Has just received an elegant Assortment of Muffs, Tippets, Fur-Trimmings, and Skins of all Colours.

Also a good Assortment of Paper Hangings.

Newport, Dec. 24, 1799.

ETHAN CLARKE

HAS FOR SALE,

A few Pipes of excellent Cogniac Brandy; Claret Wine in Boxes, of 2 Dozen in a Box; Bottled Porter and Brown Stout in Casks; Molasses and New-England Rum by Hogshead; and Anchors, &c. as usual.

ROBERT LAWTON

Respectfully informs his old Customers, his Friends, and the Public, that he has just received, and has for Sale, at his Store in Thames-street, Three Doors below the Post-Office,

AN elegant Variety of fashionable GOODS, adapted to the approaching Season;—which are, in Addition to his former beautiful Assortment of India Lutestrings, Modes, Calicoes, Shirtings, Linens, Ladies Hats, &c. &c.

All which Goods will be sold at a very low Advance.

Those who will please to call, he flatters himself, will not be disappointed in the Quality of his Goods, or the Treatment they receive.

Newport, Nov. 26,

To [illegible]

WILL [illegible]

A good [illegible] and Carpenter [illegible] JOSHUA WILBOUR [illegible] A constant Supply of [illegible] keep.

Newport, Dec. 10, 1799

JOHN THURSTON,

Takes this Method to inform his Friends and the Public, in general, that he has taken the Store on Banister's Wharf, lately improved by Mr. *Stephen Pierce*, deceased, where he has for Sale the following Articles, viz.

BRANDY; Rum; Gin; white and brown Sugars; Flour; Rice; Chocolate; Souchong and Bohea Teas; Mustard; Codfish; an Assortment of blue, white and figur'd Queen's Ware; Stone Ware of all Sorts; Egyptian China Tea-Pots and Inkstands; Decanters, Wine Glasses, and Tumblers, a great Variety; Barberry and Bees-Wax; Sole-Leather; Brushes and Brooms; Cedar Pails; Sieves; Coffee-Mills; Powder, and Shot of all Sizes; Soap; Candles; Lead; Mens' and Womens' Shoes and Slippers; Table Knives and Forks; Penknives; Patent Spoons; Cases of Razors; Guns; Gun-Locks; Padlocks; Door and Chest Locks; Brass Cocks; Hammers; Money Scales; Steel and Mouse Traps; Gimblets of various Sizes; Shoe and Buckle-Brushes; Shot Moulds; Japann'd Ware; Spectacles; Bed-Cords; Fishing-Lines; Fish Hooks, of all Sizes; Poles, Lines, and Hooks, equipped for Fishing; ready-made American Colours of all Sorts; Nails of various Sorts; Iron Scrapers; Patent and other Time Glasses; Double Battle and other Gunpowder; Drawing-Knives; Nova-Scotia Grindstones; and many other Articles too tedious to enumerate.

☞ Rice by the Cask, and Flour by the Barrel.

Newport, August 5, 1799.

FRESH RAISINS.

A few Casks for Sale, by

NATHAN B. MILLER.

December 10, 1799.

All Persons having any unsettled Accounts with *Jonathan Williams* late of Newport, Chaise-Maker, are desired to call on the Subscribers for an Adjustment of them, who are appointed Administrators to settle his Estate.

OBADIAH WILLIAMS,
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"I should have sent in the schooner Bachelor, but the yellow fever breaking out among her crew, determined me to discharge her. She must have proved a good prize and worth from 10 to 15000 dollars; her crew all French, but I judged it better to sacrifice the property, than to expose my crew."

NEWPORT, *January* 14.

The Limits of our Paper do not admit of our giving Place to the Demonstrations of Respect, which are every where paid to the Memory of our departed Hero and Patriot.—Funeral and public Honors are paid, in every Place where the People can collect in any considerable Number; and these Honors are as uniform, in the Mode of Demonstration, as the Sentiment which produces them.

At the Annual Meeting of the Stockholders of *The Newport Insurance Company*, holden on the 7th Inst. agreeably to Charter, the following Gentlemen were elected Directors, viz.

Samuel Elam, Francis Brinley, Ebenezer Burrill, Archibald Crary, Ethan Clarke, Robert N. Auchmuty, John L. Boss, Thomas Handy, Thomas Dennis, Jacob Smith, Henry Sherburne, Joseph Rogers, William Hunter.

And that at a Meeting of the Directors on the 8th Inst. Samuel Elam was unanimously chosen President, and Jabez Denison, Secretary.

His Excellency Thomas Jefferson, Vice-President of the United States and President of the Senate, arrived in Philadelphia, on Sunday the 29th ult. and next Morning took his Seat in the Senate.

We hear that the Legislature of Maryland have voted a Loan of 50,000 Dollars to the Federal City.

There seems to have been a little Mistake in the late Accounts of the Gen. Greene Frigate; instead of being taken, she has been TAKING.—During her present Cruize, she has sent the Brig Industry into Newport; the Flying-Fish into Boston; a Prize to her and the Boston Frigate; a Schooner into Salem; the Schooner Weymouth, into some Southern Port; the Schooner Bachelor was released, owing to her having the Yellow-Fever on board.—All on board were well and happy.

Married.]—At South-Kingstown, Mr. *Benjamin Peckham*, to Miss *Sally Ward*, Daughter of Mr. Richard Ward.

—At Middletown (on this Island) by the Rev. Mr. Eddy, Mr. *Timothy Weaver*, to Miss *Hannah Wigneron*, Daughter of the late Mr. Charles Wigneron, of this Town.

Died.]—Lately, at the House of Governor Penn, in Queen Ann-street, London, Mrs. *Masters*, Widow of the late William Masters, Esq; formerly of Pennsylvania, and Mother of Mrs. Penn.

—At Philadelphia, on the 29th ult. Mr. *Samuel Emlen*, a respectable Minister of the Society of Friends.

—In this Town, Mrs. *Catherine Dudley*, Widow of Charles Dudley, Esq; formerly Collector of this Port, and Daughter of Robert Crooke, Esq;

—Mrs. *Mary Bryer*, Wife of Mr. Elias Bryer.

Meteorological TABLE. Fahren. Therm.

1800.

JANUARY	Thermo. A. M.	Thermo. P. M.	Wind. A. M.	Wind. P. M.	Weather. A. M.	Weather. P. M.
	Deg.	Deg.	8	2	8	2
7	10	20	NW.	Do.	Fair.	Cloudy.
8	22	32	NW.	Do.	Fair.	Do.
9	24	32	W.	SW.	Fair.	Do.
10	24	37	WSW.	W.	Fair.	Do.
11	30	33	N.	Do.	Cloudy.	Do.
12	34	42	SW.	W.	Cloudy.	Fair.
13	36	36	NE.	NE.	Cloudy.	Snow.

CUSTOM-HOUSE,

District of Newport, Jan. 13.

Entered,	From
Sloop Patty, Edwards,	Stonington
Ranger, Bliven,	New-York
Brig Ida, Hudson,	Providence
Ship American Eagle, Brooks,	Isle of Rhe
Sloop Sally, Congdon,	Boston
Betsy, Rhodes,	Alexandria
Brig Peace, Smith,	St. Christophers
Ship Almonac, Cassidey,	Bath
Cleared,	**For**
Schooner Maccan, Hathaway,	Edenton
Sloop Concord, Justin,	New-York
Two Sisters, Earl,	Ditto
Schooner Franklin, Whippey,	Norfolk
Ship George & Mary, Lawton,	Charleston
Sloop Lucy, Anthony	Ditto
Dove, Swain,	Nantucket

Sales at Auction.

On FRIDAY, 17th Inst. will be Sold, at GARDNER & DEAN's Office, At X o'Clock, the following GOODS, viz.

BROADCLOTHS—Coatings—Baizes—Blankets—Calicoes—Brittany Linens—Table-Cloths—Fine Cambricks—Apron and Shirting Checks—Boxes Tea—and One Box Men's Hats.

With a Variety of other Articles.

Conditions at Time of Sale.

Newport, 14th Jan. 1800.

To be Sold, by SHEFFIELD ATTWOOD, BROKER,

20 Hogsheads New-England Rum, from 95 to 100 Gallons.
20 Hogsheads Molasses, good for Retailing.
10 Boxes good Brown Sugar.
20 Hogsheads West-India Rum.
100 Barrels Mess Beef.
100 Barrels Mess Pork.
100 Barrels Prime Pork.

He has also to sell, sundry Dwelling-Houses, in different Parts of this Town.

He has also 4000 Weight good CABIN BREAD on Hand for Sale, cheap for Cash.

N. B. He gives the highest Price for old Gold and Silver.

Newport, 13th January, 1800.

All Persons having Demands against the Estate of Dr. *Isaac Senter*, late of Newport, deceased, are desired to exhibit the same for Settlement; and all those indebted to said Estate, are requested to make immediate Payment to

Elizabeth Senter, *Administratrix.*

Newport, Jan. 13, 1800.

THOSE Persons who have Accounts open with the Subscribers, are desired to bring them in immediately for Settlement, as they wish to close all Affairs of the Firm as soon as possible.

DANIEL W. BARKER & CO.

Newport, Jan. 13, 1800.

FOR SALE,

A very convenient Dwelling-House, in Newtown, having Four Rooms on a Floor, with Two Wash-Rooms, and a good Cellar under the Whole; also the Lot on which said House stands, being 50 by 100 Feet, free from Quit-Rent.—Apply to

OLIVER REED.

Newport, Jan. 13, 1800.

TO BE SOLD,

A Dwelling-House, and Lot of Land whereon said House stands, a little out of this Town, near the Wind-Mills, formerly belonging to Benjamin Stanton, deceased.—For further Particulars inquire of

JONATHAN GREENE.

Newport, 1st Mo. 13th, 1800.

STRAYED away from James Chace's, some Time past, Twelve Sheep, mostly Weathers, very large and likely.—They are branded on the Rump with the Letters I. A. with Tar. Whoever has either the Whole or Part of them, among their Sheep, and will give Notice to the Subscribers, shall be well rewarded, and Expences paid by

PERRY SHERMAN, or
CLARK HARGILL.

Newport, Jan. 13, 1800.

NEWPORT INSURANCE COMPANY.

THE *Stockholders* of *The Newport Insurance Company*, are hereby notified, that the fourth Instalment of Twenty Dollars on each Share, in the *Funds* of said *Company*, falls due on the first Monday in February next; they will also remember, that the Notes are made payable at *The Bank of Rhode-Island*, and will be previously lodged there.

By Order of the Board of Directors,
J. DENISON, *Sec'ry.*

Newport Insurance-Office, Jan. 13, 1800.

OFFICIAL.

To the Consul of His Catholic Majesty for the State of Rhode-Island, &c.

COMMERCIAL INFORMATION.

DON JOSEPH IGNATIUS DE VIAR, his Catholic Majesty's Consul-General, has received, from the Intendant at the Havanna, the following List of Articles, now prohibited at that Port:—

Vermillion.
Mens' Caps—Silk, Thread, & Cotton.
Stocking-web Patterns (worsted)
Coarse Shirts.
Sieves.
Brass Locks, and Nails.
Coverletts (wool and cotton)
Dimities (thread and cotton)
Oil Cloth (flowered and plain)
Paper Hangings.
Esterlings,
Tinsel Laces,
Sealing Wax,
Stockings (worsted and cotton)
Marseilles Quilting.
Handkerchiefs (linen)
Hats (castor excepted.)
Shoes, Calicoes, and printed linens,
Plain and ornamented dresses for both sexes, of what manufacture soever.

Further information from the Intendant of the Havannah.

All Shippers of goods or merchandizes from the United States, to the above port shall be qualified before a notary public respecting the property specified in the invoices, the same shall be attested by his Majesty's Consul General, or by some one of his Majesty's consuls or vice consuls, otherwise such goods will not be admitted to entry.

Whereas it has been found that numbers of Merchants and others, trading from the United States to the Havanna, regardless of the foregoing publication inserted some time since, in several papers of the Union, have prosecuted their voyages without soliciting the attestation mentioned therein, and on arrival there have alledged ignorance respecting the same. Now, therefore, his Catholic Majesty's Consul General, in compliance with his instructions received latterly on this head, doth hereby make known, to all whom it may concern, that from and after the publication hereof, any vessel or vessels trading to the above port or ports in the island of Cuba, shall be provided with the aforementioned attestation, otherwise they will not be admitted to entry.

Newport, 10th January, 1800.

TO BE SOLD,

And entered on the 25th of March ensuing,

A FARM, in Little-Compton, about One Hundred Acres of Land, lying in a handsome Body together, all fenced with Stone-Wall, and divided in divers Divisions with Stone; with a large Stream of Water running through the Whole of said Land, which never fails of a Plenty of Water.—Has on it two Orchards, a good House, Barn, Corn-House, &c.——The above Premises lies on a good Road, which is greatly used, and about One Mile and a Half from the Meeting-House in said Town: One Half of the Payment will be taken in West-India or this Country Produce.——Apply to

NATHANIEL SEARLE.

Little-Compton, Jan. 9, 1800.

WE the Subscribers being, by the Court of Probate of the Town of Newport, appointed Commissioners to receive and examine the Claims of the Creditors to the Estate of *George Cornell*, sen. late of said Newport, Cabinet-Maker, deceased, represented insolvent, do hereby notify all Persons, having Demands on said Estate, (if they think fit) to bring them in to either of us at our respective Dwellings, within Six Months from this Date, it being the Time allowed for that Purpose.

JOB TOWNSEND,
WILLIAM BORDEN.

All Persons indebted to said Estate, are requested to make Payment to

George Cornell, } *Adm'rs.*
Richard Cornell, }

Newport. Jan. 13, 1800.

*** *Those indebted to the Printer hereof, will render him a very essential Service, by making Payment at this Time.*

FOR SALE, BY
J. RICHARDSON,
At the Post-Office,

A great Variety of BOOKS and STATIONARY.

A great Variety of ALMANACKS, for the Year 1800——Among which is One calculated for Newport.

The Old Newport Circulating Library has lately had an Addition of some Hundred Volumes, in Divinity, History, Voyages, Travels, Novels, &c.

Has just received an elegant Assortment of Muffs, Tippets, Fur-Trimmings, and Skins of all Colours.

Also a good Assortment of Paper Hangings.

Newport, Dec. 24, 1799.

ETHAN CLARKE
HAS FOR SALE,

A few Pipes of excellent Cogniac Brandy; Claret Wine in Boxes, of 2 Dozen in a Box; Bottled Porter and Brown Stout in Casks; Molasses and New-England Rum by Hogshead; and Anchors, &c. as usual.

ROBERT LAWTON

Respectfully informs his old Customers, his Friends, and the Public, that he has just received, and has for Sale, at his Store in Thames-street, Three Doors below the Post-Office,

AN elegant Variety of fashionable GOODS, adapted to the approaching Season;—which are, in Addition to his former beautiful Assortment of Satins, India Lutestrings, Modes, Calicoes, Chintzes, Linens, Ladies Hats, &c. &c.

All which Goods will be sold at a very low Advance.

Those who will please to call at his Store, he flatters himself, will not be disappointed in the Quality of his Goods, the Prices of them, or the Treatment they will receive.

Newport, Nov. 26, 1799.

To be SOLD, by
WILLIAM LANGLEY,
At his Shop in Thames-Street,

A general Assortment of Joiner's and Carpenter's PLANES, &c. made by Joshua Wilbour, late of this Town:—A constant Supply of which he proposes to keep.

Newport, Dec. 10, 1799.

JOHN THURSTON,

Takes this Method to inform his Friends and the Public in general, that he has taken the Store on Banister's Wharf, lately improved by Mr. *Stephen Pierce*, deceased, where he has for Sale the following Articles, viz.

BRANDY; Rum; Gin; white and brown Sugars; Flour; Rice; Chocolate; Souchong and Bohea Teas; Mustard; Codfish; an Assortment of blue, white and figur'd Queen's Ware; Stone Ware of all Sorts; Egyptian China Tea-Pots and Ink-stands; Decanters, Wine Glasses, and Tumblers, a great Variety; Barberry and Bees-Wax; Sole-Leather; Brushes and Brooms; Cedar Pails; Sieves; Coffee-Mills; Powder, and Shot of all Sizes; Soap; Candles; Lead; Mens' and Womens' Shoes and Slippers; Table Knives and Forks; Penknives; Patent Spoons; Cases of Razors; Guns; Gun-Locks; Padlocks; Door and Chest Locks; Brass Cocks; Hammers; Money Scales; Steel and Mouse Traps; Gimblets of various Sizes; Shoe and Buckle-Brushes; Shot Moulds; Japann'd Ware; Spectacles; Bed-Cords; Fishing-Lines; Fish Hooks, of all Sizes; Poles, Lines, and Hooks, equipped for Fishing; ready-made American Colours of all Sorts; Nails of various Sorts; Iron Scrapers; Patent and other Time Glasses; Double Battle and other Gunpowder; Drawing-Knives; Nova-Scotia Grindstones; and many other Articles too tedious to enumerate.

☞ Rice by the Cask, and Flour by the Barrel.

Newport, August 5, 1799.

FRESH RAISINS.

A few Casks for Sale, by
NATHAN B. MILLER.

December 10, 1799.

All Persons having any unsettled Accounts with *Jonathan Williams* late of Newport, Chaise-Maker, are desired to call on the Subscribers for an Adjustment of them, who are appointed Administrators to settle his Estate.

Obadiah Williams,
David Williams.

Newport, 12th of 12th Month, 1799.

For the NEWPORT MERCURY.

Should the tempest of war, overshadow our land,
Its bolts could ne'er rend Freedom's temple asunder;
For, unmov'd, at its Portal, would WASHINGTON stand,
And repulse, with his breast, the assaults of the thunder. PAINE.

BUT 'mid the tempest's dreadful roar,
No *WASHINGTON* we now shall find;
A favor'd world can boast no more,
The dauntless breast,—the splendid mind.

Beyond the reach of thought, to rove
His warrior soul ascends the skies;
Fancy, alone, can see him move,
And view the meed of virtue rise.

Yet Memory, long shall keep him here;
Long shall he live, in Freemen's breast;
The eye shall lend, the heart, a tear,
To wet the grave, where valour rests.

Amid the length'ning course of years,
To Vernon's mount, the *mind* shall bend;
There seek the sage, *she* yet reveres;
The soul of war—of peace, the friend.

Unlike Loretto's pompous dome,
No dire delusion, there shall tread;
Reason, with man, alone shall come,
To muse the precepts of the dead.

Then leaving Vernon's pensive gloom,
She ranges through the fields of death;
There Trenton's early glories bloom,
And York and Monmouth bear a wreath.

While, there, *she* sees the Warrior rise,
And Victory mount his modest car,
Benignant Pity lifts her eyes,
And softens all the wrath of war.

When the wild storm has ceas'd to rage,
The Hero throws aside his arms;
Looking from war, *she* sees the sage,
On the mild stream of rural charms.

But Discord's mad and deadly strife,
Calls him from Learning's tranquil ways;
He hears the call,—gathers fresh life,
And mounts the hill of civic praise.

Once more, he seeks the lov'd retreat;
His Country's voice, once more, he hears;
He turns, the insulting foe, to meet—
Pale Death, in *proud* array, appears!

The joyful wave, which bore his name,
Shall ruly tell his sudden doom!
Genius shall weep,—and anxious Fame,
Shall rear her fav'rite statesman's tomb.

Firm, down the stream of life, he pass'd;
Firm, in the arms of conscience, died;
With critic eye, his actions trac'd,
Saw nought to blame,—wish'd nought to hide.

Could a whole Nation's ceaseless prayer,
Have made the MIGHTY FABRIC stand:
He yet had liv'd—with guardian care,
To watch and grace a rising land.

FOR SALE,

THE United States SHIP, GEORGE WASHINGTON, of 32 Guns, now lying in the Harbour of Newport—the principal Part of her Timbers are Live Oak and Red Cedar; she is very burthensome, and calculated for the INDIA Business.——To be sold with, or without her Guns and military Equipment.

Inventory may be seen, and the Terms known, by applying to

GIBBS & CHANNING.

December 31, 1799.

FIVE DOLLARS Reward.

LOST, a Post-Note, No. 1258, drawn by the Bank of New-York, in Favour of JAMES NOYES, dated March 25, 1799, for *Five Hundred and Seventy-six Dollars and* 14-100*ths*, which Note was indorsed by Samuel Reynolds, in a Letter directed to James Noyes, Westerly, Rhode-Island, and under Cover to Rowse Babcock, Post-Master, Westerly, and put into the Post-Office New-York, on the 26th of March, 1799; which, Nothing can be discovered of Note or Letter.——Any Person finding Note, and returning it to Samuel Reynolds, Merchant, New-York, or to Doctor James Noyes, Westerly, shall receive the Reward.—Payment is stopped at the Bank, therefore it cannot be of Use to any other.

Westerly, *Dec.* 5, 1799.

FOR SALE,
A good Weaver's LOOM.
Inquire of the Printer.
December 24.

Doctor K I N G's MOST respectful Compliments to the Inhabitants of Newport, and its Vicinity—takes this Method to offer his Services, in the Practice of PHYSIC and SURGERY:——In which Practice he has received a *regular* Education.—Credentials of which he is ready to produce, to those who will do him the Honour to call on him, at Mrs. COTTRELL's.

If the most ready Attention, joined with a sincere Wish to be useful to his Fellow-Citizens, have any Claim to Success, he flatters himself he shall not be unsuccessful in his Endeavours to serve them.

He likewise informs, that he has just received a Supply of MEDICINE, genuine and of the latest Importation, which he will sell on as reasonable Terms, as can be purchased in this State.—Apply at Mrs. Cottrell's Shop.

December 30, 1799.

JOHN BOURS,
At the Sign of the GOLDEN EAGLE,
INVITES his Friends, old Customers and others, to his Shop, where a very handsome Assortment of GOODS, suitable for the Season, just imported, will be found, upon as low Terms, for Cash, as at any Store in the State.

AMONG WHICH ARE,

A Variety of superfine broad Cloths of the most fashionable Colours—and Gentlemen's best Beaver Hats, of the newest Taste.

Newport, December 30, 1799.

BENJAMIN HADWEN
Has just received, and has for Sale at his Store in Thames-street, Corner of the Old Church-Lane,
A fresh Assortment of
FALL and WINTER GOODS.
Newport, 2d of 12th Month, 1799.

NEW GOODS.

Just received a handsome and general assortment of fashionable Dry Goods, suited to the season, and now opening for sale, at the foot of the Old Church Lane, in Thames-street, on the lowest terms—among which are,

SUPERFINE cloths; second ditto and inferior quality; forest cloths and serges; superfine cassimeres; elastic cloths and coatings; mixt coatings; baizes and flannels; swansdowns and black shag; pins per pack; coloured and white threads; black and black & white galoons; ferrits; thick muslins; checks; Irish linens and platillas per piece, or otherwise; a box bed-ticking; children's hats; calicoes and chintzes; Scotch and India book muslins; ditto handkerchiefs; jaconet muslin, and sprigg'd; dimities and white jean; coloured bordered white handkerchiefs; fine white tiffany; beautiful kid gloves; wildbores and durants; striped calamancoes; lute-strings and black persians; sarsnets and cambricks; Morocco and cloth shoes; childrens' Morocco ditto; white and coloured sewing silk, per the lb. or otherwise; mock tortoise combs; Scots carpeting, and table ditto, &c. &c.

By JOHN F. TOWNSEND.
Newport, December 30, 1799.

SIMEON MARTIN
Has for Sale, for Cash, or on a reasonable Credit, with approved Notes, payable at the Bank of Rhode-Island,

GOOD Retailing Surinam and Havanna MOLASSES, by the Hogshead, Tierce or Barrel; old 3d Proof Windward-Island Rum; New-England Rum by the Hogshead or Barrel; Mess and prime Pork and Beef by the Barrel; Rice by the Cask; Whale Oil by the Ton; Rock Salt by the Hundred Bushels, or less Quantity; Pilot Bread by the Barrel; and Two Pair of Three-Pound Cannon, with all their Apparatus complete.

Newport, July 29, 1799.

FOR SALE,
And may be entered immediately,
A large, Three-Story Dwelling-House, very conveniently situated, in a public Part of the Town, either for a Tavern, or other Business.——Inquire of the Printer.

Newport, Dec. 30, 1799.

WAS taken up adrift, a few Days since, an OAK BOAT.——Whoever owns the same, by applying to the Subscriber, and paying Charges, may have her again.

JOSEPH LYON.
Newport, Dec. 31, 1799.

Justices Warrants, Executions, &c. for Sale, by the Printer hereof.

Lately imported from Canton, in the Ship Semiramis, Capt. SMITH, and for Sale,
By *THOMAS HANDY*,
Fresh TEAS of the first Qualities,
viz.
GUNPOWDER,
HYSON,
SOUCHONG—and
BOHEA.

Also, at his Refinery, at the South-End of Thames-street, single and double-refined SUGAR.

Newport, 8th October, 1799.

NATHAN B. MILLER
Has for Sale,
A few Pipes of BRANDY, of the 5th Proof, *entitled to the Drawback.*—Also new Superfine FLOUR, by the Barrel or larger Quantity; and PIMENTO by the Bag.

Oct. 15, 1799.

JOHN BAKER
Has for Sale at his STORE, *on Banister's Wharf,*
A General Assortment of GROCERIES, of the first Quality.

Captains of Vessels and others supplied with SEA-STORES, on the shortest Notice.

Those who will please to favour him with their Custom, may rely upon supplying themselves with any Article in his Line, of as good a Quality, and at as reasonable a Rate, as at any Store in Newport.

He returns his sincere Thanks to his Customers and the Public for past, and solicits future Favours.

Newport, April 29, 1799.

Valuable LANDS for Sale.

FOR SALE, in lots of 100, 200, 300 and 400 acres, a body of very valuable LANDS, equal in point of soil, situation and advantages of water carriage, to any lands in the United States. The soil has been proved; and is found, on cultivation, to be very fertile in wheat, rye, indian corn, potatoes, and other esculent vegetables.—The lands are situated in the county of Lucerne, and state of Pennsylvania, within 7 miles of a river which is navigable to the sea for boats of considerable burthen; and large rafts of timber, from settlements on the same river, many miles above these lands, are in the proper season of the year sent to Baltimore, Havre-de-Grace, and other places. The lands are about 170 miles north of Philadelphia, 60 miles west of Poughkeepsie, on the North River, and about 240 on a direct west course from Providence. The canal from the mouth of the Susquehannah, which it is expected will soon be accomplished, will afford a direct water carriage from the landings near this tract to Philadelphia.

The lands are surrounded by settlements on all sides; those of Chenanog are about 30 miles to the northward. Several families from this state purchased and moved on to a part of these lands the last spring. The subscribers have erected a grist-mill on the premises, for the accommodation of settlers. The whole tract is well wooded throughout, having little or no underbrush. There is a sufficiency of the sugar maple, and of white ash, to afford a permanent supply of sugar and fencing.—The land is not stony, rocky or mountainous, nor is it flat or level, but diversified with hills and vallies, just sufficient to ensure its salubrity.

The inhabitants who have been settled in its neighbourhood for several years, have experienced the climate to be very healthy, and the winters moderate. The lands are well watered, having several good mill-seats, and a considerable quantity, of natural meadow, sufficient, in the opinion of good judges, to support 100 head of cattle winter and summer. The whole tract has been surveyed, and divided into lots of 300 acres, but will be sold in such quantities as will best suit the purchasers; or some of it will be leased, if desired.

Real estate in Providence or its vicinity will be received in exchange for a part of it, on reasonable terms. The title is clear and indisputable, and deeds with warranty will be executed unto the purchasers by the subscribers; by inquiring of whom, it will be found that the lands now offered for sale are really inviting to all desirous of settling in a fertile and healthy country, and that the terms, both with respect to credit and price, are very moderate.

Persons desirous of purchasing, are requested to apply soon, as the tract for sale is not large, containing only about twelve thousand acres.

BENJAMIN BOURN, *in Bristol.*
BROWN and IVES, *in Providence.*
December 25.

GIBBS & CHANNING
HAVE FOR SALE,
ST. Petersburgh clean Hemp; Russia and Ravens Duck, first Quality—Cordage and Cables of all Dimensions—Russia and Swedes Iron, flat and square.

BY THE PACKAGE.

Sheetings; Platilles Royales; Brittanias; Rouens; Silesias; Creas-a la-Morlaix; Stripes and Checks; Dowlas; Oznabrigs; Ticklenburghs; Sailors blue and white Linen; Bedticking; Linen for fine Shirts; Diaper; Hessian and brown Rolls; Linen for Bags; blue Broadcloths; German Flannels and Serges; Stationary, and Glass Ware, calculated for the West-India Market, and intitled to Drawback on Exportation.

New-England Rum by the Hogshead or Cargo, on short Notice; Molasses, per Hogshead; Holland Gin, per Pipe; 6 by 8, and 7 by 9, Window Glass; superfine and fine Flour; Salt by the Quantity; Lead by the Ton.

Newport, Dec. 6, 1799.

Linseed-Oil & Painter's Colours.

JAMES CAHOONE & SON,
HAVE FOR SALE,
LINSEED-OIL, boil'd or unboil'd.
Best London White Lead.
Spanish Brown.
Whiting, Venetian Red, India Ditto.
Stone and Spruce Yellow.
Red Lead, Patent Yellow.
Verdigrease, Prussian Blue.
Gold & Silver Leaf.
Letharge, White Vitrol.
Painter's Brushes & Tools.
Scrubbing & Tar Brushes.
Camel's Hair Pencils.
Spirits of Turpentine.
Bright Varnish.
Black Ditto.
Window Glass & Putty.

Any of the above Paints, ground in Oil, or dry, properly prepared.

Newport, May 24, 1799.

Just received, by the Ship Semiramis, Capt. Jacob Smith, from Canton.

GUNPOWDER
Hyson
Souchong
Bohea
} Teas, per Chest or smaller Quantity.
Tea Cadies.
Waiters.
Boglipores.
Fans, Umbrellas, &c. &c.

And for Sale, by
JOHN C. SCOTT.
Newport, June 25, 1799.

Just Received, and for Sale, by
WILLIAM R. WILDER,
At his *BOOK-STORE* and *CIRCULATING-LIBRARY*,
Nearly opposite Messrs. Gibbs & Channing's *Store*,

A Large and General Assortment of BOOKS & STATIONARY, which will be Sold at the lowest possible Prices.

Among which are,

Large Bibles, of 10 different Kinds.
Small Ditto, per Dozen or Single.
Testaments, per Dozen or Single.
Watts's Psalms and Hymns, per Ditto.
1500 Webster's Spelling-Books, & 3d Parts.
A general Assortment of Accompt Books, Ledgers, &c.
Almanacks for 1800, of 3 different Kinds, by the Groce, Dozen or Single.
Sheet Ditto, very convenient for Stores and Compting-Rooms.
Children's Picture-Books, Primers, &c. of 50 different Kinds, by the Groce, Dozen or single.
300 Reams of Writing-Paper, various Sizes and Prices.
Wrapping Ditto per single or Dozen Reams.
Playing Cards by the Groce, Dozen or single Pack.
Slates and Slate Pencils, by the Dozen or single.
Real Dutch Quills, by the 1000 or less.
Black and Red Ink-Powder, by the Dozen or single Paper.
A great Variety of Ladies & Gentlemen's Red Morocco Pocket-Books, with and without Instruments.
A beautiful Assortment of Penknives, Desk Knives, Folders, &c.
Best Irish glazed Wafers.
Genuine Dutch Sealing-Wax, Red & Black.
2 Cases of English Hats, imported in the Minerva, of the latest London *Fashions.*
A small Assortment of Jewelry, Perfumery, &c. &c. with very many other Articles too numerous for an Advertisement.

☞ Large Additions are made, and are daily making, to his CIRCULATING-LIBRARY.

Newport Nov. 11, 1799.

Boxes real Havanna Segars.